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1. AGATTACHE HAS RECEIVED FROM DR. MARCELO RABASSA, DIRECTOR GENERAL OF SENASA, THE FINDINGS OF THE INVESTIGATION PERFORMED AS A RESULT OF THE SUSPENSION OF ESTABLISHMENT 1964 FROM EXPORTING TO THE US. A REPORT FROM DR. JOSE A. FORNER, ZONE SUPERVISOR, IS ALSO INCLUDED. ORIGINALS AND TRANSLATIONS OF THE ABOVE WILL BE AIRMAILED TO STEINMETZ AUGUST 8.

2. SUMMARY OF THE INVESTIGATION. FRIGORIFICO COLON, RECOMMENDED AS HIGHLY QUALIFIED BY DR. C. BELFIELD AND THE TECHNICAL ORGANIZATION CITECA PERFORMED THE INVESTIGATION. THE CONCLUSION REACHED IS THAT THE HEAT PROCESS USED IN ESTABLISHMENT 1964 WAS CARRIED OUT WITH ALL EFFICIENCY AND THEREFORE CANNOT BE CONSIDERED AS THE REASON WHICH PRODUCED ALTERATIONS IN THE CANS DESCRIBED IN THE REPORTS YOU FORWARDED TO US. ALSO DR. JOSE A. FORNER'S LAST ZONE SUPERVISOR'S REPORT, CLEARLY DEMONSTRATES THAT ALL HYGIENIC SANITARY METHODS OF PROCESSING AND CONTROL ARE CARRIED OUT WITH SUCH UTMOST STRICTNESS IN THE QUESTIONED ESTABLISHMENT THAT NO TECHNICAL REASONS EXIST TO JUSTIFY KEEPING THE PLANT OFF THE
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US LIST. FOR ALL THE ABOVE WE CONSIDER THAT THE SUSPENSION OF ESTABLISHMENT 1964 TO PROCESS AND EXPORT CANNED MEAT PRODUCTS TO THE US SHOULD BE LIFTED.
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